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1847 Lacreek So. Okla.

Dec 26. 1910

Mr. M. Friedman.

Superintendent of Carlisle Indian School  
My dear Friend

I got your nice letter a few days ago. and I was very glad that my boy Harry arrived at your school alright and he take study of the printers trade. is alright to me Mr Friedman I would like to tell you this. I am dependant on you. Please you kindly look after my boy and pushing along and see if he can get graduate at your school. so I could send him out to higher for get a good education and make himself useful man in this world. anything you want me help toward your school

I shall do for you as I always  
stand for Carlisle school and  
yet. and I am always I  
dependent on what little education  
I got from Carlisle school  
stand with it. and used right.  
surely I got my benefits and  
protection in my Business.

I will inform you about my  
work this summer. The department  
appointed me to be a Commissioner  
to classify appraise and value certain  
lands in the Pine Ridge Agency  
Reservation in ~~the~~ south Dakota.

I have worked with two white  
men. I will tell you the names.  
Commissioner - G. H. Bates for the government  
Commissioner - W. L. McClim for the state  
Commissioner - F. Conroy for the tribe  
I will tell you about my pay also.  
I got \$10<sup>00</sup> per day.

Mr. Friedman: I will tell you  
these two words that I never forget  
since I have come back from  
Carlisle School

1. to fit myself for the highest  
duties of honest Citizenship
2. An Indian young man could  
be useful and a true man  
if he wants to.

I hope to hear from you again

Yours Respectfully

Frank Conroy (exstudent)

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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.  
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT.

NUMBER 942	ENGLISH NAME Frank Conroy	AGENCY Pine Ridge	NATION Sioux	
BAND Red Shirt	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS Mrs. Conroy		
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD Half	AGE 22	HEIGHT 5'2"	WEIGHT
FATHER, dead	MOTHER, living	FORCED INSP. 37	FORCED EXPR. 33	SEX. M.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL Jan 1, 1889	FOR WHAT PERIOD 5 years.	DATE DISCHARGED July 29, 1890	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE Time Expired	
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS		FROM COUNTRY	
Nov 20, 89	M. Schall York, York Co. Pa.		Nov. 1, 89	

SHAW-WALKER MUSKOGON 5478

Time in school before Carlisle, .....

Grade entered at Carlisle, 6<sup>th</sup> .....

Grade at date of Discharge, 7<sup>th</sup> .....

Trade or Industry, Blacksmith .....

Church, .....

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CARLISLE INDIAN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.  
DESCRIPTIVE AND HISTORICAL RECORD OF STUDENT.

NUMBER 357	ENGLISH NAME Frank Conroy	AGENCY Pine Ridge	NATION Sioux					
BAND Ogalalla	INDIAN NAME	HOME ADDRESS						
PARENTS LIVING OR DEAD	BLOOD	AGE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	FORCED INSP.	FORCED EXPR.	SEX.	
FATHER, Dead	MOTHER, Living	Half	17	52	150	37	35	m.
ARRIVED AT SCHOOL	FOR WHAT PERIOD	DATE DISCHARGED		CAUSE OF DISCHARGE				
Nov. 30, 1882	5 years	June 13, 1887						
TO COUNTRY	PATRONS NAME AND ADDRESS					FROM COUNTRY		
June 22, '83	Isaac Wright, Gardley, Bucks Co. Pa.					Sept 15, '83		
Apr. 2, '84	Reuben Kratz, Plumsteadville Pa.					May 5, '84		
July 9, '84	W. O. Brown, Carlisle Cumb'd Co "					July 9, '84		
June 30, '86	O Harland, " " " "					July 17, '86		
Nov. 25, '86	Sleen, Haverford "					Apr. 13, '87		

SHAW-WALKER MUSKOGON 5478

Months in school before Carlisle, .....

Grade entered at Carlisle, .....

Grade at date of Discharge, .....

Trade or Industry, .....

Church, .....

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July 18th, 1913.

My dear Mr. Conroy:

I have just received your favor of July the 15th, giving me the names of Indian parents who have children of the required age for enrolment at Carlisle. I thank you for the kind consideration given my request of recent date, and I hope that your co-operation will result in the transfer of a number of the young people with whom we shall get into communication thru your assistance.

The students who have returned from Carlisle to their homes and have taken a prominent place there in the affairs of their people and their community are our best friends today and I am pleased to number you among them.

With best wishes for continued success, I am,

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

Mr. Frank Conroy,

Lacreek, South Dakota.

Lacreek, So. Dak.  
July 15, 1913.

Dear Mr. Friedman, -

I received your letter some time ago asking me to send you a list of names of boys and girls who desire to go to school. Instead of sending you the names of girls and boys I will send you names of men who have well brought-up children, and whose children might be interested in Carlisle.

My son, Harry, has returned from your school last June and I am thankful to Carlisle for the education it has given him.

Since my return from Carlisle I always try my best to uphold Carlisle's reputation. I will be always glad to do any favor for you.

Yours Truly  
Frank Coursoy

Clarence Three Stars, Martin, S. D.  
Edgar Fire Thunder, Allen "  
George Fire Thunder, Martin "  
William Brown, Allen "  
George Means, Mauderson "  
Frank Lock, Porcupine "

Above names are ex-students  
of Carlisle and I am sure that they  
desire good education and training  
for their children

Others who have children of  
school age and desire education for  
them are as follows, -

John Courcy, Porcupine, S. D.  
Sandy Williams, Lacreek, "  
Joseph Night Porcupine, "  
Benjamin Janis, " "  
John Lee, Pine Ridge Agency, "  
Peter Shangreau, " "  
Yellow Boy, " "  
Charles Clifford, Kyle, "  
(over)



Benjamin Mills, Porcupine, S. D.  
Antone Jarvis, Pine Ridge Agcy, "  
Charles Debray, La Creek, "  
Joseph Brown, " "  
Ed. Bettelmann, Martin, "  
John Greyhame, Cody, Nebr.  
Wetzel Kludrey, " "  
Whirlwind Horse Allen S. D.

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August 11th, 1913.

Mr. Frank Conroy,  
Lacreek, South Dakota.

My dear Sir:

I have noted what you state in your letter of August the 6th, but it has been decided that your son Harry cannot be given the special permission to pursue his studies in our regular course and in our business department. It has been found by experience that as a general rule the work cannot be carried on successfully in both departments, and it will not be advisable to allow your son to give it a trial.

I should like to have you use your influence in sending young people from the vicinity of your home to Carlisle. Usually those who are less than eighteen years of age are enrolled for a five year period. Those who are eighteen or more years of age will be received for a three year period.

All applications for enrolment will have to be submitted me thru the office of your Superintendent, and what-

Mr. Frank Conroy.

ever assistance is then required will gladly be given you by your Superintendent.

Under a separate cover I am sending you a copy of our school catalogue, together with circulars and application blanks that may be distributed among the young people near your home.

Very truly yours,

HKM.

Superintendent.

La creek, S. D., Aug. 6, 1913.

M. Friedman,  
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. M. Friedman, —

I am going to write a letter to you in regard to my son, Harry, who has spent the past three years at your school as a student.

I understood that Harry is now a member of the present Senior Class of your Academic Dept., and I shall be very thankful if you would kindly let me know whether I can send him back to Carlisle and continue his studies in the Academic Dept., and devote rest of his time in Business Dept. I am not against your industrial training but I am anxious for my boy to study as much as possible. I want him to get more education after he graduates at Carlisle so

I think my plan will be a great help to him.

Now I shall ask you to inform me what your terms are at Corliss. There are some bright boys and girls here who are planning to go to Corliss but they are not certain yet. They want to know whether they can enroll at Corliss for 3 year term. I wish you would let me know the fact regarding the term so that I can talk to them about enrollment at your school.

Write at once and let me know about these matters and oblige.  
Yours respectfully  
Frank Conway.

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# Record of Graduates and Returned Students.

U. S INDIAN SCHOOL, CARLISLE, PA.

Lacreek, S. Dak., Feb. 1, 1911-1910.

NAME Frank Conroy,

1. Are you married and if so to whom? Yes. To Victoria Standing Bear,  
formerly Carlisle student.

2. What is your present address? Lacreek, S. Dak.

3. Did you attend or graduate from any other schools after leaving Carlisle? No. Give names of schools and dates if possible

4. What is your present occupation? Rancher and Farmer.

5. Tell something of your present home I have a house, 60 feet long and 16 feet wide, with four rooms. It is well furnished.

6. What property in the way of land, stock, buildings or money do you have? I have 720 A. of first-class Agricultural land, 30 head of horses, 40 head of cattle, necessary stables, etc.

7. Have you been in the Indian Service? In what positions? How long in each? Yes.  
Commissioner to appraise surplus lands of Bennett Co. Pine Ridge Res. at a salary of \$10.00 per day.

8. What other positions have you held since leaving Carlisle?.....

None.

9. Tell me anything else of interest connected with your life:

I have two sons and one daughter. The oldest son is at  
Carlisle in the eighth grade.

